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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.114**

Sir:

In reply to the Final Office Action dated September 29, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application in light of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.